

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY OF SENATE BILL 2450

Retired enlisted men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard retired for any cause, and retired officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard who have been retired for injuries received in battle or for injuries or incapacity incurred in line of duty shall not, within the meaning of this section, be construed to hold or to have held an office during such retirement.

February 9, 1924: S. 2450 was introduced in Senate by Mr. Wadsworth of New York.

March 14, 1924: Senate Report submitted.

March 28, 1924: Debated (or rather explained) in the Senate, and passed.

March 28, 1924: Referred to House.

April 12, 1924: House report submitted.

May 21, 1924: Bill was read as follows in the House: "Retired enlisted men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard shall not be construed to hold an office within the meaning of this Section."

Mr. Stephens (Mississippi) then offered the following amendment:

"Retired enlisted men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard retired for any cause, and retired officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard who have been retired for injuries received in battle or for injuries or incapacity incurred in line of duty shall not, within the meaning of this section, be construed to hold or to have held an office during such retirement.

The amendment was agreed to without debate, and passed.

May 23, 1924: (Senate action on the House amendment)

(1) The House amendment was read.

(2) Mr. Wadsworth (New York) then moved that the Senate concur with the House, and it was concurred in.

May 31, 1924: The bill was signed by President.